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October 3, 2000

KARL J. DREHER DIRECTOR

Dr. Lynn Reno 9417 Eucalyptus Dr. Bakersfield, CA 93306

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Re: Rotation Agreement

Dear Gentlemen,

Thank you for submitting a copy of the rotation agreement that I had inquired about in my correspondence of September 18, 2000. I appreciate your prompt response and attention to this matter.

I wanted to call to your attention that the agreement only references one of the two water rights owned by Scott and Vic Johnson that is delivered to the Upper Fish Hatchery Canal. The omitted right, 34-00703A, has a 6/1/1890 priority and diversion rate of 0.20 cfs. My notes and records indicate that this right is still delivered to the Upper Fish Hatchery Canal and the Johnson/Reno Lateral. Identification of this right may be important to the agreement since I believe that the reference to the 17% portion of the rotation may be based in part on the combined diversion rate of rights 34-00703A and 34-00704A. If my records are correct, you may want to consider revising the agreement to include the other right. This may help minimize further complaints or questions concerning the rotation.

I will withhold filing the agreement and/or sending copies of the agreement to other parties until you have had a chance to comment on this matter. I thank you again, in advance, for your prompt attention to this detail. Please do not hesitate to contact me directly at 327-7864 if you wish to discuss this matter.

Sincerely,

Tim Luke

Water Allocations

Cc: Doug Rosenkrance, Watermaster